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CONVENTION PLANS

1,000 DELEGATES EXPECTED AT COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL MEET

COMMITTEES ARE NAMED

State Officers and Other Well Known Speakers Will Be On Program September 31 and October 1

Maryville plans to entertain one thousand delegates to the Nodaway County Sunday school convention to be held here September 30 and October 1. Officers of the association expect it to be second in point of attendance to the state convention last year when nearly two thousand delegates were entertained. The convention program will be interesting and instructive and will include addresses by state officers and other well known persons, among them Herman Bowmar, state secretary, Miss Harriet Beard, state superintendent of elementary work, Mrs. Samuel Wells, state superintendent of adult work, and Henry M. Beardsley, a former mayor of Kansas City.

The Polk township association will be host at the convention and plans to care for all who come have been worked out, lodging to be given free on Monday night. Admission to the convention will be by badge to all who register and for which there will be no charge.

A school of methods will be a feature of the convention, it being the aim of the county officers to have every school in the county 100 per cent efficient according to the International standard. Teachers and officers of rural schools will be urged to be in attendance and each school will be asked to send as many as fifteen delegates; many will send a much larger number.

The committees that will have charge of the arrangements are:

Executive committee—R. C. Seal, chairman; Prof. C. E. Wells, L. B. Tracy, T. J. Puckett.

Entertainment and Registration committee—Mrs. Alice Perrin, chairman; Mrs. Emery Airy, Miss Ora Eckles, Mrs. Marvin Peery, Mrs. R. M. Barry, Mrs. Guy Haller, Mrs. J. S. Ford, Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, Mrs. John Richey, Mrs. Hazel Carter, Mrs. LeGrand Gann.

Reception committee — Prof. Bert Cooper, chairman; Miss Ruth Matter, assistant chairman; Fred French, Miss Mary Lewis, R. C. Seal, Mrs. I. E. Tulloch, Miss Opal Key, A. L. Nash, Mrs. D. D. Miller, LeGrand Gann, Ray Hull, Harold Houchens.

Building committee—I. E. Tebow, chairman; Will Miller, Henry Wright, G. B. Holmes.

Exhibits—Mrs. Vada Halley, chairman; Mrs. L. E. White, Mrs. S. A. Coile, Miss Ruth Matter, Mrs. I. E. Tulloch.

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Hair Cut and Shave 40c
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Under Montgomery Shoe Co.

W. R. C. IN DISTRICT MEET

Women's Relief Corps to Entertain Convention In This City October 2 and 3

The district convention of the Women's Relief Corps will be held in this city on Wednesday and Thursday, October 2 and 3. The district embraces the Corps from several counties in northwest Missouri and quite a number of delegates and visitors will be here to attend the meeting.

The Maryville corps entertained the convention several years ago and at that time had the pleasure of hearing a number of interesting speakers.

DRAFT OFFICIALS IN KHAKI

Movement Afoot to Uniform All Members and Doctors of District and Local Boards

A movement is afoot, according to the Washington, D. C., Times, to put in uniform the members and doctors on the local and district draft boards.

That they are performing actual military service is granted. Those urging the plan suggest that the uniform would tend to give the boards a broader responsibility and dignity than they now possess.

Many doctors, for instance, are giving long hours free, performing a service that is distinctly vital to the military establishment. They incline to feel that they should go into the army proper. Lacking that, they believe that their tasks now are such that the government would be warranted in putting them in khaki as draft board members.

BURIED AT GRAHAM SUNDAY

L. S. Zencker of St. Joseph Dies at Parents' Home Saturday

Funeral services for L. S. Zencker of St. Joseph, who died Saturday morning at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Zencker of Graham, were held Sunday afternoon at the Christian church of Graham conducted by the Rev. W. H. Rust of Burlington Junction.

Mr. Zencker had been in very poor health for some time. He accompanied his mother home from St. Joseph Friday night for a visit to his old home. The trip proved too much for him and he passed away at 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

He is survived by his wife, his parents and one brother, Charles Zencker, living at Graham. He was employed as a cutter by the Combe Printing Co., of St. Joseph.

Lucas Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Reeves of Olathe, Kans., who have been visiting their daughter, Hrs. George, Lucas, and family, left today for Volin, S. Dak., where they will visit another daughter, Mrs. George Wilson. They were accompanied by Misses Gladys and Gertrude Wilson, who have been spending the summer with the Lucas family.

Miss Kittell Returns.

Miss Willetta Kittell has resumed her work in the Maryville Conservatory after a two weeks' vacation spent with relatives at Topeka and Iola, Ks.

Miss Lucas to Barnard.

Miss Alma Lucas left yesterday for Barnard to take up her work for this year in the Barnard schools.

Holders of

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November 9th, 1918

As a part of our services to investors we shall be glad to make this change. To do this the holders must bring their bonds to us or those who have bonds in our vaults must come in and request this change be made before **NOVEMBER 9, 1918**, or forever forfeit their right to exchange them for 4¼% bonds, which are identical with the original except as to the interest rate.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK, Maryville, Mo.

M'DOUGAL WRITES

IS JOINED IN PRISON CAMP BY OTHER AMERICANS

GET RED CROSS BOXES

Jam, Bacon, Coffee and Sugar Were In Packages—Working at Horse Barns and In the Hay Fields

In a letter just received from Frank McDougal to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDougal, the Maryville boy, now a prisoner in a German military camp, writes as follows:

"Stamlager, Limberg,
"June 9, 1918.

"Dear Folks: Sunday and not much work and about a week or a little more since the Red Cross card came from you inquiring for me, and I hope you get it and this one, and I hope to receive a letter from you. Some other boys have arrived, there being eleven more Americans here besides us three. They are from the National Guard and all are from Connecticut, and I will give you one of their addresses so you can write and in that way hear more from us. Mrs. Frank Mooran, 160 Putnam street, New Haven, Conn. The Red Cross is sending packages to us and we have received two boxes which contained jam, bacon, coffee, sugar, soap and other things, which is a great help to make life a little more cheerful. We are getting a box or two every week, but it will slacken up because a lot came at once. Tell mother and sister not to worry for this is bound to be over, and tell sister to get well and be well by the time I get home. And you all write in one letter, and a big one, for I have not received one yet, but expect to any time. Write name and place at head of letter and my number and they will get here, for the others went and came in about two months, which is not bad for these times, one Russian's letter taking over a year. The work we do is around the horse barns, and we have been making hay lately in the old way with hand rakes, which is slow, but good; also interesting, being new to me. It is better here now with the Americans with us for we can talk of old times and have card games, which passes away lots of time. There are Russians, two Englishmen, one Portugese and ourselves here, with the Germans, and we have some time talking. Not more to write but to tell you I am in good health and sure you are the same. Tell Bill to help with the work and be good. My number is 48,942 L. Don't worry. Your loving son,

FRANK M'DOUGAL."

ASSISTS IN FUNERAL SERVICE

Father Niemann Attends Rites for Monsignor Linnenkamp

The Rev. Father Niemann, priest at St. Patrick's church, went to St. Joseph yesterday to assist Bishop Burke in conducting the funeral services for Monsignor Christopher Linnenkamp of St. Joseph, who died Friday. The services were held at the Immaculate Conception church, beginning with the chant at 9:30 o'clock, followed by pontifical requiem at 10 o'clock, with a sermon by Father Niemann.

Among the visiting dignitaries of the church attending the services were the four priests who entered the priesthood from the Immaculate Conception parish of which Monsignor Linnenkamp had charge. They were Fathers Johannes and Buddy of St. Joseph, Schaefer of Carrollton and Niemann of Maryville, and they assisted in the funeral services. Father Linnenkamp was pastor of this parish in St. Joseph for many years and was made Monsignor by Pope Leo in 1900.

New Suits Filed

New suits have been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court as follows:

Edith Hayworth against Benjamin Carey, attachment.

Barnard State Bank against Benjamin F. Carey, attachment.

Mary E. Phares, Wm. F. Phares and Geo. Robb, Ellison, directors of the Phares Lumber Company, in a suit to change the firm from a corporation to a partnership.

Gave Bond For Appearance.

Clarence Hilsenbeck of Arkoe, arrested last Friday by Sheriff Dowden on a charge of violating the local option, will be arranged for trial in circuit court on September 23. Hilsenbeck gave bond for $500 for his appearance.

938 TODAY'S CASUALTY LIST

Of Those Named 149 Were Killed In Action, 220 Were Missing and 471 Were Wounded Severely

Washington, Sept. 10.—The following casualties have been reported by the commander of the American Expeditionary Forces:

Killed in action	149
Missing in action	220
Wounded severely	471
Died of wounds	46
Died of accident and other causes	6
Died of disease	8
Died of airplane accident	1
Wounded, degree undetermined	35
Prisoner	1
Total	938

THE COUNCIL MEETS

SALARIES AGAIN UNPAID FOR THE LACK OF MONEY

IT WAS A SHORT SESSION

A Special Resolution Was Necessary to Provide Payment For Special Police For Fair Week

With the exception of day and night police, fire driver and city clerk, whose salaries were ordered paid by the council at their monthly meeting last night, all other city officials must wait for their money until such time as the general fund is able to show a surplus. City finances are still at low ebb, no plan having been worked out to provide more revenue. The meeting last night was an adjourned meeting from last Friday night, when no quorum was present.

Special Policemen B. W. Lemon and Frank Partridge, employed during fair week, had a bad half hour when it was learned that under a city ordinance governing employment of special police they would receive but fifteen cents an hour for their services. The ordinance, adopted in 1908, before the high cost of living entered into the matter of wages had remained unchanged and it was necessary for City Attorney A. F. Harvey to draw up a special resolution authorizing payment at the rate of thirty cents an hour before the matter was adjusted to their satisfaction.

A request from the owner of a lunch wagon for permission to place it on the property on East Third between the Kane building and the blacksmith shop was given.

Little else was done other than hearing the reports of the city clerk, there being nothing of importance to require attention. The council session was a short one, lasting less than an hour. All members were present but Councilman Souers.

MISS CARPENTER TO OKLAHOMA

In Home Economics Department of the Okmulgee High School

Miss Katherine Carpenter left this afternoon for Okmulgee, Okla., where she will be head of the home economics department of the Okmulgee high school.

Miss Carpenter is a graduate of the city high school and the Normal and has maed a special study of home economics at the latter school.

Wilbur Dowis Returns to Camp.

Wilbur H. Dowis, in army service at Fort Riley, Kans., returned to his camp Sunday night after a three days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dowis, living north of the city. Young Dowis is delighted with the life at the camp and is looking fine.

Cranes Away For Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Rasmussen of Riverton, Nebr., who have been spending several weeks in Maryville, left this morning for their home. They drove to Riverton in their car and were accompanied by Mrs. Rasmussen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Crane, who will spend the winter in Riverton.

DANCE
at the W.O.W. HALL
Thursday Night
September 12
Music furnished by the Tibbitts, Jazz Band

A KING'S GREETING

ENGLAND'S RULER WELCOMES EVERY AMERICAN SOLDIER

IRVIN ALKIRE WRITES

Maryville Boy With A. E. F. at Base Hospital Says Crops Are Good In Section Where He Is Located

Upon his arrival in England among the first things which the American soldier receives is a personal greeting from King George of England.

Irvan D. Alkire, a son of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire of this city, enclosed one of these in a letter received yesterday by his parents. Young Alkire went with a contingent from Camp Dodge, Ia., and just recently arrived overseas. The greeting bears the crest of the Hapsburg line and its text is as follows:

WINDSOR CASTLE

Soldiers of the United States, the people of the British Isles welcome you on your way to take your place beside the armies of many nations now fighting in the Old World the great battles for human freedom.

The Allies will gain new heart and spirit in your company. I wish I could shake the hand of each one of you and bid you God speed on your mission.

GEORGE R. I.

The letter which young Alkire wrote enclosing the card under date of August 9 is as follows:

"Dear Parents and All: Just a few lines to let you know I am well and feeling fine. Like it fine over here. After landing a person feels so much more like working every hour you can. I will not try to write much at this time as the censor is so busy, so I will write as often as I can and you can help me out by letting the rest know you heard from me and that I am O. K., and explain to them that we cannot write to so many at a time, but tell them I will do the best I can to write to them once in a while. Give them my address and tell them I want them to write to me often and let me hear the news. We are getting plenty of good eats. Will close for this time. With love and best wishes to all.

"IRVAN D. ALKIRE."

Base Hospital No. 49, A. E. F.

In a card written August 14 he writes that he likes the climate and is feeling fine. He says in the section in which he is crops are very good and that the same kinds of grains are raised as in America.

ON A HUNT FOR A BONDSMAN

Henry Hawk, Convicted of Booze Selling, Fails to Return to Carry Out Decision to Appeal Case

Following the trial and conviction yesterday afternoon in Mayor Garrett's court of Henry Hawk, arrested last week at the fair for selling booze, Hawk gave notice that he desired to appeal the case and asked permission of Mayor Garrett to secure someone to go his bond. Permission was given and Hawk left the court room. Last advices were that he was still going. At a late hour this afternoon he had not put in an appearance. Hawk is now out on parole from the Nebraska state penitentiary where he was serving a term.

Hawk acted as his own attorney in trying to establish an alibi for himself but the testimony introduced was not of such a character as to warrant consideration.

MISS PIERCE TO TEACH

Will Have History Department In Consolidated Rural High School

Miss Dorothy Pierce has been employed as teacher of history in the Atchison county consolidated rural high school and began her work there yesterday. The school is the first of its kind in northwest Missouri and is in the Fairfax district.

Miss Pierce is a graduate of the city high school and attended the Missouri state university, the university of Chicago and Wellesley.

Visiting at McManus Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. William Langan went to Quitman Saturday evening to spend several days visiting Mrs. Langan's brother, J. P. McManus.

Will be out of city this week. Studio closed. F. W. CROW. 9-11

OVER 100 HAVE REGISTERED

Absentees Secure Cards to Be Sent to Their Home Draft Boards—Physical Examinations Resumed

Over one hundred men in the new draft have been registered at draft board headquarters, all of them non-residents who desire to forward registration cards to their home draft boards. Twelve students from the college at Conception appeared early this morning to register, receiving cards to be returned to their home counties. The board has complete dplans for the registration on Thursday and all registrars in the county have been given their supplies of cards and blanks. Registration will be conducted in all of the regular voting places of the county as heretofore announced in these columns.

Examinations were resumed yesterday afternoon and this morning of men in the 1918 class, the following registrants having been given physical tests:

Irvin Daugherty, Maryville; accepted.

Emory Journey, uBrlington Junction; accepted.

Virgil Emerson Argo, Skidmore; accepted.

Ralph Virgil Riley, Maryville; accepted.

Roy N. Cox, Ravenwood, accepted.

Harold Chilton Stafford, Maryville; accepted for limited service.

Irvin Edmonston, St. Joseph; rejected.

Jennings Bryan Weddle, Graham; rejected.

Guy Martin Horne, Elmo; accepted.

Christie L. Springer, Quitman; accepted.

Orville Cecele Carmichael, Maryville; accepted.

Lawrence Oscar Lattin, Maryville; accepted.

Robert Roy Moody, Maryville; accepted.

Hobert McKinley Thompson, Hopkins; rejected.

Ellis Ross Wallace, Clearmont; accepted for limited service.

Clarence Edwin Elkins, Sheridan; rejected.

AWAIT CONFERENCE ACTION

Methodist Church Official Board Will Make Decision Concerning a New Pastor Following St. Joe Meeting

At a meeting of the official board of the First Methodist church held late yesterday afternoon to confer regarding the call issued to their pastor, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, by the Methodist church of Hastings, Nebr., no action was taken or will be until after the conference of the church which is to be held next week in St. Joseph.

A committee composed of C. C. Corwin and Charles D. Bellows, was appointed to look after securing another pastor in the event of Mr. Cox being transferred to the Nebraska conference.

Mr. Cox has been with the Methodist pastorate for te hpast six years and during that time the church has enjoyed a great prosperity in all lines and no pastor has ever held a closer place in the hearts of his congregation than Mr. Cox, and it is with the regret of the entire church and community that there is a prospect of severing his connection with this church.

The Hastings church has a membership of over a thousand and a building that cost $80,000 to build. Their offer to Mr. Cox is a very flattering one as it is one of the strongest churches in the Nebraska conference.

Ora Seeley Severely Injured.

Ora Seeley of Quitman may lose the sight of one eye as the result of an accident this morning. Mr. Seeley was working i nthe woodshed when a nail struck him in the eye and caused a severe injury.

Judge Hepburn Weds Couple.

Judge George Hepburn of the county court officiated at the marriage this afternoon of Henry E. Dilley of Murray, Iowa and Miss May D. Walker of Winterset, Iowa. The ceremony was performed at the court house.

BELGIUM STRIKES AT HUNS

ARMY JOINS ALLIED FORCES IN PUSHING THE ENEMY BACK ACROSS THE LINE

FOE QUITS DOUAI

GREAT GERMAN BASE IS BEING EVACUATED AS FRENCH AND BRITISH CONTINUE THEIR STEADY ADVANCE

GAINS ON ALL FRONTS

In Spite of Autumnal Storm Which Have Set In the Foe Is Being Pushed Back — Many Prisoners Are Being Taken

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

With the British Army In France, Sept. 10.—The Belgian army added its blows to the British-French-American hosts today when it began an offensive against the Germans and advanced to a depth of more than a mile, capturing the village of Pilkelm northeast of Ypres. This extends the activities from the Flanders fighting zone towards the North Sea. The advance was carried out over a front of more than three miles, the attacks extending all the way from Pilkelm to north of St. Jean.

Northeast of Ypres the Belgians advanced with all of their old-time dash and vigor and many fortified farms and cross roads were taken from the Germans, the Belgians gaining Pilkelm ridge and other high ground. This action materially improved the salient and carried the Allied line to and across Portugal, Sicily, Regina Cross, Alberta, Van Helve, Bossart and Vanhugel farms, all of which had been strongly fortified by the enemy. The push today is the most important move the Belgians have made since they took over this swampy, low ground.

London, Sept. 10. — The advance south of the Hindenburg line between Vendeuill and Essigny Legrand and between St. Quentin and Lafere is admitted in the last German official report received here this afternoon.

London, Sept. 10.—The Allied armies today are everywhere advancing, says General Haig today in a special order. He added that the capture of 76,000 Germans and 750 guns in the course of four weeks' fighting showed the magnitude of the British achievements Activities have been slowed down some by autumnal storms which have set in, but the Allied advance still continues.

A second enemy counter attack in the vicinity of Gouz-au-Court was completely repulsed last night by the British, the war office announced. The British line was advanced to south of Havrin court; progress was also made northeast of Neuve Chapelle and in Flanders the British advanced to northwest of Armentierres.

Paris, Sept. 10.—The French have extended their gains east of the Crozat canal and repulsed two strong German counter attacks in the region south of the Ailette river.

Paris, Sept. 10.—Franco-American forces are progressing slightly in the region of Revillon and Allenies in the

(Continued on page 3).

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer Wednesday.

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
11 and 17 cents

The Greater Vitagraph Co., with
ALICE JOYCE
The popular star at her best, in
Find the Woman
From O. Henry's "Cherchez La Femme."
Tomorrow, "Back to the Woods."

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Forum-ettes

Marve Peery wishes the Red Cross would maintain an exchange department. He says now that he has on his "heavies" he can't find any use for the lace he won at the fair.

A traveling man stepped into the Democrat-Forum office this morning to remark that Maryville always reminded him of home, because it was the dearest place on earth. If you don't get it the first time, read it again.

Regardless of all our sins and troubles and shortcomings, most of us manage to do pretty well.

The tightwad is held up to scorn, but somehow or another, he generally has a piece of change when he needs it.

Gus Romasser tells this one: Clive Graves, on his way to Bedford, Ia., one day last week, had his clothes almost eaten off by grasshoppers. For further details inquire at the sheriff's office at the court house.

When a man makes a fuss over his wife's lady friends he is a notorious flirt, and if he ignores them he catches it for being impolite. Woe is man.

Big Bill Haywood will now find that he will have plenty of time at Leavenworth to do a part of the repenting that society has required of him.

It is said that a local young man will name his new son Wilson because the baby kept him out of war.

From this distance it looks to us as if it was about time the kaiser began praying in earnest to a real God.

Jever notice that the old fashioned words "hell" and "damn" fail to shock us any more?

A woman can learn more in the course of a three weeks' visit than a man can learn in a four week's course at college.

The young unmarried things think the lot of the old maid is nothing less than horrible, but the woman who has been married for five or six years is positive that the old maid has all the best of it.

Return From Colorado Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seipel and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sturm, Lucy and Leo Sturm and Frank Dempsey have returned from a visit at Colorado Springs and Denver. They also visited at Pueblo with Mr. and Mrs. H. Mulholland and at St. Francis, Ks., with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Sturm. The trip was made in the Sturm and Seipel cars.

Dr. Riley to Fort Riley.

Dr. Frederick Riley of Clyde, who has been appointed first lieutenant in the medical corps, was called today to Fort Riley, Kans., to report for duty.

CANDIDATES TO AID

LAY ASIDE POLITICS WHILE LIBERTY LOAN DRIVE IS ON

BEST CHANCE FOR VOTES

All Political Parties In the State Will Suspend Campaign Work to Help the Great American Cause

St. Louis, Sept. 10.—It is expected that all political parties in Missouri will suspend campaign work during the forthcoming Liberty Loan drive, commencing September 28. Ben M. Neale, chairman of the Democratic state committee, and other party leaders have decided upon this course and no doubts are expressed but what politicians of all parties will join in the move. The political speakers will be expected to devote their oratory to helping along with the drive, as well as joining the large army of purchasers of the new securities. All of the Democratic candidates who have expressed an opinion on the subject have said that political activities of all kinds should be suspended until after the loan has been placed.

This will be a decidedly new thing in Missouri politics. It is believed that the move will be immensely popular with the voters and that the candidates who make the best accounting of their abilities in helping along the drive will stand the best chance to win the votes at the election. The campaigns will be an easy matter for the different managers of the party campaigns to switch their work and their orators to helping along the great American cause.

A RUSH TO FARMS AFTER WAR

Organizations In All of the Best Rural Sections of State Being Effected — Better Farming, the Idea

St. Louis, Sept. 10.—Reports from out in the state are to the effect that the farmers are organizing in all of the best rural sections of Missouri and it is predicted that the movement will quickly spread over all the state. The organizations are stated to be for mutual benefit and politics is to be kept out of the organization. Several times in the past farmers' organizations in this and other states became involved in politics and presently went to pieces.

Since the war farming has become a very profitable business in Missouri. Never were the opportunities for making money so good. Everything produced on a farm brings a high market price.

One of the objects of the new organization is stated to be for the purpose of keeping the farmers well posted on the market prices, and another to learn the most profitable lines of farming and the many contingencies connected with market prices. Another feature is to learn improved methods of farming. The idea prevails in rural Missouri that as soon as the war is over there will be a great rush to the farms because of the heavy profits that have been made and are being made in all farm products.

MAY SET GASOLINE PRICE.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Fuel Administrator Garfield announces that he expects soon to fix a price for gasoline for domestic consumers as well as the government and the Allies at a fugure lower than the present market price. He is awaiting further reports on the situation before taking definite action.

Getting Ready to Move Offices.

Secretary Pickens of the Commercial Club is busy packing up the records and other paraphernalia of the office today getting ready to move to the new quarters in the Sisson building. Secretary Pickens expected to get moved today, but the rain will doubtless prevent.

Dr. Eula Godby Home.

Dr. Eula Godby has returned from a vacation of several weeks spent with her parents and other relatives in a recreation camp on the White river in northern Arkansas.

To Visit In Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bell left today for Denver, Colo., to spend several weeks visiting their son, Marvin Bell, and family.

DR. W. W. TURNER

Osteopath

Graduate American School of Osteopathy.

Office over Alderman-Yehle Store.

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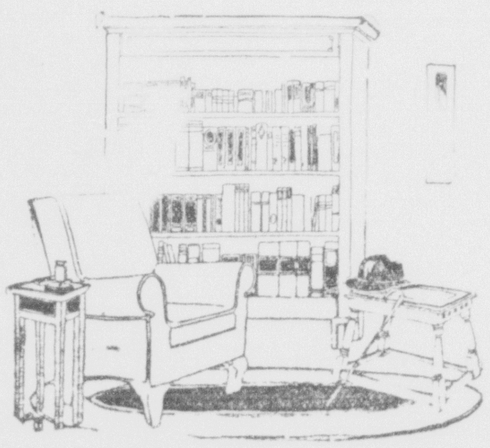

Home Comfort

Depends almost entirely on home furnishings, and the fall and winter is when these comforts are most appreciated.

If there is anything in furnishings that will make YOUR home more pleasing and more comfortable you should select it from our stock while the lines are complete. Furniture is not high priced compared with other things—especially what we now have on hand. No one can foretell the future, but we are sure it would not be economy to wait until present stocks are depleted before getting new things for the home.

ECONOMY AND CONVENIENCE

Are combined to a large degree in the IDEAL FIRELESS COOKSTOVE. We still have a number of these useful cookers on hand, at lower prices than they will be sold for another year. It will solve your cooking fuel problem easier than anything you could do. Come and see them.

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Fur Sale!

Tomorrow and our Great Fur Sale will be over!

Order Now—Save from 20% to 40%

A small deposit will reserve your selection and we will hold it free of charge till you're ready to wear it this Fall! To buy now is also to

Buy before the coming War Tax on Furs goes into effect and greatly adds to their cost!

The proposed eight billion-dollar war revenue bill, now pending in Congress, includes a heavy tax on Furs. This tax will of course have to be added to the retail selling price of Furs and will materially increase their cost. If you want to buy before this tax goes into effect, ORDER NOW!

Make your selections here from the largest and best stocks of beautiful quality Furs ever shown in Maryville. Our low prices prevail on our entire stocks and you will save from 20 to 40% off what prices are sure to be during the coming winter! We are always glad to show Furs whether you are ready to purchase or not.

Haines

THE STORE SPOT CASH AND LOW PRICES BUILT

Treat Wheat Before Planting.

There were in Nodaway county this year a number of fields of wheat affected with the stinking smut and in other parts of the country there was a great deal of it.

Everyone should understand that it is foolhardy to plant any seed from a field so affected unless the same has been carefully treated to destroy the smut spores.

The government urgently requests that all wheat used for seed this year be carefully treated under the directions printed below, as a precautionary measure, to prevent further spreading of the stinking smut.

From the experience this year I find in fields only partly affected, the dealers, in buying the grain, took off all the way from two to eighteen cents a bushel from the price on account of the smut, which clearly shows that anyone raising wheat can not afford to take any chances on even a little smut.

Yours truly,
F. P. ROBINSON,
U. S. Food Administrator for Nodaway County, Missouri.

Covered or Stinking Smut.

Wheat heads affected with covered smut show the glumes or chaff slightly pushed apart with a dark colored grain between. The grain is really a smut ball which, on being crushed, breaks into a very large number of minute dust-like particles, the smut spores. These have a very disagreeable odor. The spores, when the smut ball is broken, get on the sound grain and produce infection when the latter is planted in the soil. To prevent smut the spores on the seed must be killed. All of the smut balls must be removed, for the spores in these are not killed by the treatments. They are easily broken in drilling operations and hence may contaminate the seed.

Do not confuse the covered or stinking smut of wheat with the loose smut. The loose smut destroys the wheat head at flowering time. At harvest time only a naked stalk is found. Loose smut cannot be controlled by the formaldehyde or copper sulphate treatments.

Formaldehyde Treatments.

The solution of formaldehyde used for treating stinking smut of wheat is made by using one pint or one pound of commercial formalin (guaranteed 40 per cent solution of formaldehyde) to forty gallons of water. Use either the dipping or sprinkling method. One gallon of solution is sufficient to treat one bushel of grain by either method.

Caution.—Do not put treated seed on a smutted floor or in smutted sacks, nor sow in a smutted drill. Smutted sacks should be soaked for thirty minutes in a strong solution made by putting one pint of formalin in ten gallons of water. Bins, floors and drills may be scrubbed with this strong solution.

1. Dipping.—Take two half-barrels or tubs with holes and plugs near the bottom. Place one tub on two saw horses and fill two-thrids full with the solution of formaldehyde. Pour slowly into this solution one-half to one bushel of wheat seed, stirring thoroughly for five or ten minutes so that the smut balls, trash, etc., will reach the surface. Skim this material off, then drain the solution into the second tub. Pour the seed into a pile on the floor. Exchange position of tubs and repeat the operation. Cover the treated seed with sacks for four to ten hours. Sow at once or spread the seed out to dry.

2. Sprinkling.—Remove smut balls, trash, etc., from the seed by thorough fanning. Spread the seed out on the floor or wagon bed in a layer four to six inches deep. Sprinkle the solution of formaldehyde, using a watering can, on the seed. Shovel the seed into a pile and cover with sacks for four to ten hours. Sow at once or spread the seed out to dry.

Copper Sulphate Treatment.

Dissolve one pound of copper sulphate, blue vitriol or bluestone in four gallons of water. Either dip the seed in this solution or sprinkle, using the same methods as indicated for the formaldehyde treatment. It is, however, unnecessary to cover the seed after treatment; instead, spread it out at once to dry or sow immediately.

Says "Smash Sugar Bowl."

The South Dakota food administration has issued the following:

Why are the people of the United States asked to limit themselves to two pounds of sugar per person per month for household use?

In order that the people of England may have two pounds per person per month.

The people of France 1½ pounds per person per month.

The people of Italy one pound per person per month.

Those amounts are not guaranteed by the Allied governments, but are the maximum amounts that will be furnished if supplies can be obtained.

The British are not complaining.

The French are not grumbling.

The Italians grin and go without.

You have had all the sugar you can eat.

These people have been fighting and starving and bleeding and dying in your fight.

SMASH THAT SUGAR BOWL—

And help these men and our men smash the Hun.

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For more than 200 years, Haarlem Oil, the famous national remedy of Holland, has been recognized as an infallible relief from all forms of kidney and bladder disorders. Its very age is proof that it must have unusual merit.

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There will be very few if any Holland or French bulbs on the market this autumn, so that Geraniums, Begonias, etc., will have to be used wherever possible to meet the demands of the home winter window garden. We also have an extra nice selection of Boton Ferns, Ostrich Plume Ferns, Asparagus Ferns, etc. We repot plants at reasonable price or can furnish the right prepared soil, pots, etc., for any kind of plants.

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Dorothy Helen Claypool.

The little daughter who came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Claypool Sunday morning has been named Dorothy Helen.

Royal Neighbors to Meet.

The Royal Neighbors Red Cross auxiliary will meet Wednesday night in the Red Cross rooms to resume their work for the winter.

Bakers Give Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Baker of Clearmont gave a dinner Sunday at which they entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tull of Pickering, Mrs. Elizabeth Bagby of this city, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Baker and family of Clarinda, Ia., and Mrs. May Huston of Clearmont.

Wesleyan Class Elects Officers.

Miss Emma Hull was re-elected president of the Wesleyan Bible class of the First Methodist church at the annual election of officers held last night at the home of Miss Ada Gingrich on West Seventh street. The other officers chosen were Mrs. S. Donahue, vice-president and Mrs. Blanche Lawler, secretary and treasurer. Following the business session, the evening was spent socially and refreshments served by Miss Gingrich.

Malottes Entertain for Oklahoma Guests.

Dr. and Mrs. Karl Malotte entertained a party of friends last night with an informal evening at their home complimentary to their house guests, Mrs. William Hatton and Mrs. Dennis Wilson of Vinita, Okla. The additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gex, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Caterson, Dr. and Mrs. Curtis Coe, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines, Mrs. Donna Graham, Mrs. Gay Leeper and Miss Clara Sturm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart Entertain With Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart entertained with a dinner party Saturday complimentary to a number of out of town relatives who were visiting in the city. Plates were placed for A. W. Noble, Mrs. May Noble and children, George and Genevieve of Okema, Okla., Prof. and Mrs. M. B. Wallace of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Dempsey and Sam Scowden, living south of the city, Mrs. F. A. Roach and Gordon Roach of Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and children, Stewart and Virginia and the hosts.

Methodist Auxiliary to Meet.

The Red Cross auxiliary of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon in the surgical dressing rooms of the library to work.

Penelopes to Meet.

The Penelope Red Cross auxiliary will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. O. Garrett. It will also be the occasion of the election of officers and other business of the club and all members are expected to be present.

Mrs. Bantz Entertains Guests at Dinner.

Mrs. John Bantz gave a dinner at noon today at which she entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curfman and children, Lula May, John and Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welborn and daughter, Mrs. Preston Seafers and Mrs. Cooper Gooden.

Virginia Hulen Celebrates Birthday.

Virginia, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hulen of Ravenwood, celebrated her ninth birthday anniversary yesterday and in honor of the day her mother entertained a party of little girls from 4 till 7 o'clock at the Hulen home. The children present were Ilene Hunterson, Vira McMullen, Maud Leary, Ellen Gabbel and Virginia and Dorothy Lee Hulen.

Gives Dinner for Corporal Welling.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blagg gave a dinner today noon at their home on West Third street for the pleasure of their nephew, Corporal Mitchell Welling, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welling, who is in military service with the coast artillery at Fort H. G. Wright, Long Island, and is spending a few days furlough with the home folks. He will leave tomorrow morning for New York to join his company.

Mrs. and Miss Sturm Give Luncheon.

Mrs. Nick Sturm and Miss Clara Sturm gave a noon luncheon today as a courtesy to Mrs. William Hatton and her daughter, Mrs. Dennis Wilson of Vinita, Okla. Plates were laid for Mrs. Hatton, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. H. L. Raines, Mrs. C. H. Coe, Mrs. Karl Malotte, Mrs. C. Q. Smith, Mrs. Gay Leeper and the hostesses. Dr. and Mrs. Coe and Mrs. Anderson Craig will give a dinner this evening for the visitors, who are enroute to their home from an extensive western trip. They arrived in Maryville Saturday night and will visit old friends here until tomorrow morning.

Gives Luncheon for Soldier Son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dowis, living northwest of the city, entertained a number of friends with a luncheon Sunday at their home in honor of their son, Wilbur Dowis, who is in military training at Fort Riley, Kan., and was home for a short furlough. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Dowis, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Dowis, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hayworth, Mr. and Mrs. George Lyle, Misses Anna McCullum, Ruth Mills, Cleola, Marjorie and Zola Dowis, Blanche Griffin, Eula, Velma and Leta Dowis, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hayworth, and family, E. H. Hayworth, Harley Dowis, Lee Barton, June Dowis, Clarence McCullum and Wink Lindsey.

Helen Irene Morton Celebrates Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morton entertained a party of children Monday at their home, 810 East First street to eclebrate the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Helen Irene. The time was spent with games and a delicious supper was served to the children present, who were Cleta Murray, Ethel and Helen Murray, Susan Lanning, Neola Smith, Alberta Smith, Henrietta Hildreth, Leona and Margaret Ledgerwood, Maudie Masters, Ruth Hammond, Maxine Woodward, Laura Ethel Warner, Mildred Bratcher, Eva Edwards, Morris Woodburn, Frank and Edward Tindall.

Make Refugee Garments.

The Bloomdale Willing Workers Red Cross auxiliary met at their rooms in the home of Mrs. Parl Runnels last week and made the following refugee garments: Three capes, three boys' suits, six shirts and three pairs of trench slippers. The members present were Mrs. A. Byerrum, Mrs. Shannon, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Wilson Wray, Mrs. George Wray, Mrs. Albert Hinton, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Parle Runnels, Mrs. James Carter, Mrs. Marion Gray, Mrs. Orville Gray, Mrs. Frank Maxon, Mrs. Carry Wray, Misses Leta, Ola and Thelma Gray, Vivian and Audrey Boatwright, Alma Carter and Mrs. Oliphant. Mrs. Lemaster, Mrs. Van Buren and Miss Ruth Maxon were guests of the auxiliary. The next meeting of the auxiliary will be on Sept. 12.

Better Meat and Better Service

IF YOU WERE EVER ASKED WHAT MORE WOULD YOU LIKE IN A MEAT MARKET THAN YOU HAVE BEEN GETTING THAT IS ABOUT WHAT YOU WOULD SAY, ISN'T IT?

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WE ARE GOING TO GIVE THE BEST POSSIBLE SERVICE, AND

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AFTER "SLACKERS"

GOVERNMENT PLANS TO ROUND UP ALL DRAFT EVADERS

USING MANY AGENCIES

Those Who Would Disobey President's Proclamation Will Find It Hard to Escape Penalties

The war department authorizes the following from the office of the provost marshal general:

Increased facilities are being organized by the government to round up the slackers who fail to register under the act extending the age limits of the selective draft. By registration day there will be agencies in every part of the country to point the finger of accusation at every man of draft age who attempts to evade registration.

Under the terms of the act "any person who shall wilfully fail or refuse to present himself for registration or to submit thereto as herein provided shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction in a district court of the United States having jurisdiction thereof, be punished by imprisonment for not more than one year and shall thereupon be duly registered."

Law Hard to Evade.

Already, with the various and innumerable factors now at the disposal of the government, the ways of the slacker under the original draft law have become increasingly hard. It is estimated that between 20,000 and 25,000 have been rounded up since June 5, 1917. The names of others not yet apprehended, because of absence from the country, are in possession of the government and prosecution faces any one of them who, having fled the country to escape the draft, attempts to return. Under the terms of the law, police officials in all the states, counties and cities throughout the country are required to cooperate with the department of justice and other federal agencies in enforcing the provisions of the act. Besides these agencies, however, are scores upon scores of private organizations, national or local in scope, that have been set up by patriotic citizens to ferret out the men who would shirk the call of their country. Among the larger of these are the American Protective League and the secret service branch of the Council of National Defense. And there is hardly a community of size anywhere in the country where there are not local organizations, many of them secret in character, that are constantly on the alert for information that will aid the government in rounding up slackers.

Pursued to Foreign Lands.

For the man who has failed to register and for the man who has refused to obey or has ignored the orders of local boards, life is becoming increasingly miserable. The department of justice has on file the names of 3,000 slackers who fled to Mexico before June 5, 1917, to escape registration. Against each one of them a complete case has been prepared so that immediate prosecution can be undertaken the moment the man attempts to recross the border, whether the attempt is made during the war or afterwards. Expatriation is the least of the penalties awaiting him. The present whereabouts of these slackers in Mexico is equally well known to the department and close watch is kept on the individual movements of all of them.

Despite the fact that the majority of these men are from wealthy families in the United States who keep them supplied more or less liberally with funds, their lot is one of constant harassment. In Mexico City, for example, where the more wealthy ones have established a sort of colony, they are ostracised completely, not only by other Americans resident in the city who are above draft age, but by the natives as well. They are constantly subjected to insults and taunts as they pass through the streets.

Court authorities are manifesting small sympathy for those who are convicted under the law of aiding men to evade registration and service. At Los Angeles on June 29, 1918, for example, Mrs. Idell Kennedy and Dr. Frank T. Howenstine were each fined $5,000 and sentenced, respectively, to 11 and 10 years in the federal penitentiary for conspiracy to aid a registrant fraudulently to claim exemption on the grounds of physical disability.

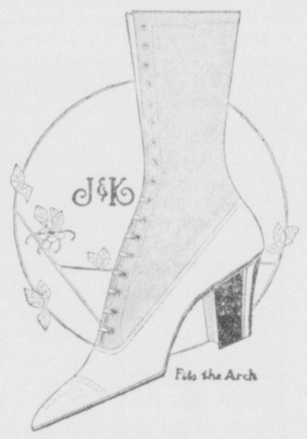
Women Helping Government.

Women in all communities, particularly those having relatives who have gone to the front, have been particularly helpful to the government in ferreting out young men who have failed to register. Tips from such women have time and again resulted in roundups of slackers.

Demand Registration Cards.

Employers in various sections of the country are beginning to make it a requirement for all applicants for positions who are of draft age to present their registration cards and classification cards before giving them employment. Under the auspices of the Niagara Frontier Defense League, made up of manufacturers in the Buffalo district, for example, concerns employing in the aggregate 40,000 men and women have adopted a uniform application blank which they require all male applicants for employment to fill out. Among other things this blank calls for information concerning age, date and place of birth of the applicant; whether he is a citizen; a description of his height, weight, hair and eyes; whether he is married or single; his serial and order number in the draft; the town and precinct where he registered; and various other particulars called for by approximately 75 separate questions.

The registrant's protection is to have with him at all times his registration card until he has been classified, and thereafter his final classification card. Failure to carry these credentials will render him liable to arrest at any time.



Brown Kid, Cloth Top
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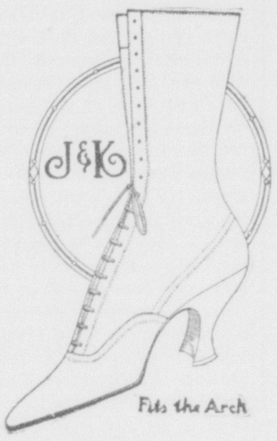

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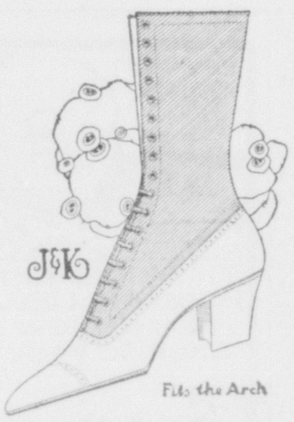

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Your New Fall Boots are here, Madam.

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Saunter in and let the spicy new models present themselves to you. You will like the slim, trim lines, the fetching patterns, the stunning leather which range from rich brown to the most delicate and harmonious shades. And you will like the fitting—that beautiful, glovelike fitting which is perfect at the arch and all over the foot.

The art of shoe making has found its finest expression in these stirring new fall styles. The lines are dignified, rich, refined. They bespeak the character of shoemaking which has made such style possible.

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Treats DEAFNESS by an entirely new process.

Treats catarrh, throat and lung disease, eye and ear, stomach, liver and kidneys, gravel, rheumatism, paralysis, neuragia, nervous and heart disease, epilepsy, Bright's disease, diseases of the bladder, blood, skin, goiter, stammering, and asthma.

Piles and rupture, without detention from business.

If you are improving under your family physician do not take up our valuable time. The rich and the poor are treated alike. Idlers and curiosity seekers will please stay away. Our time is valuable.

Remember, NOT A PENNY will be charged for the medicine required to all those taking treatment this trip. Office hour, 9 a. m.

Positively married ladies must be accompanied by their husbands. Remember the date, Thursday, September 12 at the Linville Hotel, Maryville, Mo. Adv.

TALK OF HIGH COST OF MEDICINE.

"Although I paid only $2.00 for 2 bottles of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy I wouldn't take $100 for what 2 doses have done for me. My partner also has taken a dose with wonderful results. He was threatened with an operation for stomach and bowel trouble and is sure he will be all right now. We both suffered from indigestion and bloating with gas." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal muceous from the intestinal tract and allays inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Maryville Drug Co., and druggists everywhere. Adv.

REVOLTING PEASANTS ADVANCE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Stockholm, Sept. 10. — Bolsheviki troops are retiring before a large force of revolting peasants led by White Guard officers which is marching on Petrograd, according to dispatches from Berlin. The revolutionists are within ten miles of the Russian capital, the report states.

Announce Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ross announce the birth of a son Monday morning.

ATTEND MOW FUNERAL SERVICES

Rites Held This Afternoon at Methodist Church of Ravenwood

Funeral services for C. S. Mow of Ravenwood, who died yesterday morning, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist church of Ravenwood conducted b ythe pastor, Rev. R. M. Wetzel. Among the out of town relatives attending weer Mr. and Mrs. Eugent Lyle and family of this city.

PAYSON RIPLEY A SUICIDE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chanute, Kans., Sept. 10.—Payson Ripley, superintendent of the southern Kansas branch of the Santa Fe railroad, shot the top of his head off, dying instantly, this morning. He was a nephew of President E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fe. Domestic trouble is assigned as the cause of the suicide.

SAUNDERS MAKES APOLOGY.

Kansas City, Sept. 10.—After William Saunders, secretar yof the Missouri State Council of Defense, made public apologies and exonerated former governor Joseph W. Folk, senatorial candidate, of remarks attributed to him, the council voted to kill the resolution dismissing Saunders.

Marriage Licenses.

The following were issued marriage licenses today: Ellis G. Anderson of Nodaway, Mo., and Goldie Irene Ridenour of Carlton, Mo.

BELGIUM STRIKES AT THE HUNS

(Continued from page 1.)

face of stubborn resistance that is increasing.

Pushing steadily forward towards St. Quentin the French have taken seven towns on an 18 mile front from Etervillers to Remigay, the war office announced. American negro troops that have recently occupied one sector in the Vosges have been engaged in several encounters and have done fine in all of them.

London, Sept. 10.—Douai, the great German base position in northern France, is being evacuated and most of the population have already left, it is reported by the German war correspondents at the front, said a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam today.

Old papers for sale at this office.

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WEDNESDAY—
Little Baby Marie Osborn, in
"BABY FORGOT"
A comedy-drama. Also Hearth Pathe Weekly. It is the latest.

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—AJAX TIRES GUARANTEED in writing for 5,000 miles. Lower in price than other standard tires. U. S. Copper Cable Co., East side square. 29tf

FOR SALE—80 acres, 3 miles west Maryville. Bargain if taken at once. Easy terms. Col. J. R. Braniger. 9-14*

FOR SALE — Cane mill, in good shape. P. Bolin, Route 4, Maryville. 9-11

FOR SALE—Two Shropshire rams. John F. Sturm, Farmers phone. Call Bedison. 9-11*

FOR SALE—Smooth, improved 40-acre farm, 3 miles south Elmo, 4¾ northwest Burlington Junction. Luke E. Bowman, Route 1, Burlington Junction. 9-14*

FOR SALE CHEAP—Hoosier, 8 runners, press wheat drill, good condition. J. M. Vert, Farmers 12-15, Maryville. 9-11*

FOR SALE—45 chickens, including 24 full blood Buff Orpingtons; weight from 3 to 4 lbs. Guy Bent, Hanamo 550. 9-11

FOR SALE—A quantity of men and women's used clothing, hats and shoes. Cheap. Mrs. J. D. Nelson, 318 North Buchanan St. -14*

FOR SALE—Up to date Ford racer. Can be seen at Wadley Bros. Priced right. 10-12*

FOR SALE—125 yearling rams; of that 110 are Shropshires and 15 are Oxfords. Eaton & Breit, Barnard. 4tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms for three girls. 319 W. Thompson st. Farmers phone 237. 9-1y*

FOR RENT—Good barn and garage. 513 E. 3rd. Hanamo 6684. 7-10*

WANTED

FELLOW AMERICANS — Someone wants your rags, for which I will pay you $3.00 per cwt. Highest price paid for all junk. C. B. Roberts. 30tf

WANTED — Anyone wanting plain sewing done, call Hanamo 3135, or Mrs. Ferree, at 511 S. Walnut St. 5-11*

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 524 W. 1st. Hanamo 3062. 10-12

WANTED—Married man to work on farm. Farmers 15-29, Graham. 9-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

FINAL CALL—Yellow hand picked corn while it lasts, $2.00 per bu. Oats $1.00; oat straw, bale 50c. Barn hay, loose, $20.00 per ton. Fat shoats and brood sows, 20c per lb. A nice pony for $10.00. Get busy. Final call. C. D. McKibban. 9-14*

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN — Friday night at Fair grounds, white poodle dog, age 12, named "Dixie." Finder please notify Mrs. Guy Gray, Route 5, Maryville, or leave at Star Barn. Liberal reward. 9-14*

FOUND—Bank of Pickering check book containing receipts and blank checks. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 9-11

Government Civil Service Examinations everywhere October 5th; 12,000 clerks to be appointed at Washington. Salary $1200. Experience unnecessary. Men and women desiring government positions write for free particulars, J. C. Leonard (former Civil Service Examiner) 47 Kenois Building, Washington. 10-18*

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The light, flexible clock-spring steels not only allow perfect freedom of motion but they always come back to their proper places, which means no ugly bend in the waist line of these corsets. And the boning in MODART Corsets does not rust—a point in their favor the year around.

To do yourself and the MODART Corset justice you should buy your model and have it fitted, for here you will find complete fitting service.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, Sept. 10.—CORN—September corn $1.62¾; October $1.60⅝.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, Sept. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts 23,000; steers $15 @ $16.25; cows $10 @ $11.

HOGS—Receipts 11,000; top $20.35; bulk $19.35 @ $20.15.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per doz.	32c
Butter fat, lb	50c
Spring chickens, lb	23c
Hides, per lb.	12c
Hens, per lb.	23c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	10c
Old Roosters, per lb.	12c

SEED WHEAT WANTED

Notify County Food Administrator, Who Will Aid In Selling

I have a number of calls for good seed wheat and if those having it for sale will notify me, giving full particulars as to kind, quality, quantity, price and location I will help you sell it.

F. P. ROBINSON.
U. S. Food Admr., Maryville Mo.

PROHIBITION GETS NEARER.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Sept. 10. — The Food Bill with the prohibition amendment, making the country bone dry July 1, next, and passed by the senate, was favorably reported this afternoon by the house committee on agriculture.

With Nodaway Boys Serving The Colors

CARL TARPLEY WRITES

Boys Gather Wild Raspberries and Make Pies—Knows Real War

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tarpley have received the following letter from their son, Carl, written August 4:

"Dear Mother and Family: Am using my violin case for a writing desk, so may not do a very good job. Am sitting here watching dinner cook. My K. P.s (kitchen police) are talking so much I can't get my thoughts together. We have pretty good feed now and will tell you what we have to eat. This is one day's menu: Breakfast—bread, butter, bacon, oatmeal, coffee; dinner—beef roast, peas, pumpkin and chocolate pie, bread and cocoa. Not so bad, is it? The boys went out into the wilds and got enough red raspberries to make pies. I only wish I could tell you where we are and what we are doing, but maybe the censor will permit me to state that I know what real war is and what the scream of the boche shell sounds like. It's fun to see the airplanes chase Fritz. Am in the best of health; haven't been sick a day since we landed this side of the pond.

"PROUD TO BE A SAMMY"

Paul Denny Writes of His Trip Over to Home Folks Here

Mrs. Martha Denny is in receipt of the following letter from her son, Paul E. Denny, the first since his arrival in France:

"Somewhere in France,
"Aug. 14,'1918.

"Here I am after a wait of fourteen months in a rest camp somewhere behind the lines—writing on the first issue of soldiers paper in France. What a grand and glorious feeling to be again on solid ground after two weeks on the Atlantic. I enjoyed every day of the trip even though I was sea sick, especially so towards the last, when the sea grew rough. Waves washed over the sides of the boat and to we 'land lubbers' t'was real life.

"We had a fine bunch of men in the crew of our transport, expert gunners of the navy. Believe me, the old U. S. A. is sure efficient along all lines, and it was nearly impossible to imagine any danger whatever. The whole trip was wonderful—such a sight as we steamed into port—a glorious morning—sun bright—sea smooth as glass—and all ships coming in single file. Planes flew overhead — big balloons, with their crews on the lookout, keeping safe guard until we landed. Words cannot express the vastness of this great work. Let it suffice — I am proud to be a Sammy—to say that the old U. S. A. accomplishing all this is my country. What must be left unsaid, or, rather, unwritten, will be more interesting when told on our safe and joyous homecoming.

"Give my regards to all my friends.

"PAUL E. DENNY."

Co. B, 5th Engineers, A. E. F.

FRENCH MONEY A BOTHER

Cleo E. Gett Writes It Takes Lots of Counting to Keep It Straight

In a letter to the Democrat-Forum Cleo E. Gett, with the 360th Infantry Supply Co., writes from France as follows: "There is no need of any mother or father worrying over their sons who are over here not being taken good care of. We have the best there is to eat, plenty of tobacco, well clothed and in fact have things here as nice as they were in camp at home. Here is a menu for one meal: Fried steak and onions, fresh tomatoes, French fried potatoes, jam and butter, bread and coffee. We have fresh meat every day, also lettuce, pickles and tomatoes. We have a piano in the Y. M. C. A. so you can imagine what times we have after we finish our work. Our greatest trouble is in keeping our money straight. Every pay day we receive a hat full of franc and centime pieces and we are kept all the rest of the week counting it. When we have finished we find we have about thirty or forty dollars U. S. money, rather it would equal that amount in our money. There is not much here to spend money for and if there was we would be as bad off as before, for we can't talk their language. They seem to think we can, however, or ought to for they walk up to us and go to throwing it so fast we have to back off and say "oui, oui", which means yes, or "no compre" which means that we do not understand. We had a banquet last night. Some of the boys went out and came back with three chickens. I don't know where they got them, but have my doubts that they bought them. One of them was so old it took forty-eight hours to cook and then she was so tough you couldn't stick a fork in the gravy. But we enjoyed it anyway. Also we had some champaign and wine and some of the boys got sick Of course it wouldn't do to say that I did, but you can guess. Don't think I mean when they were sick they were drunk, for that is not allowed, it was the combination of mixed drinks. We are not permitted to tell any military news but you can see how things are going over here as well as I could tell you. If I am not mistaken we will be ating turkey at home Christmas, but, I hope it will not be as tough as the chicken. I have several souvenirs I am going to bring home and one of them is the wishbone of that bird."

IS NOW SECOND-CLASS SEAMAN

Dennis Morrissey, Jr., has now become a second class seaman and tells his parents about the work in the following letter:

"San Francisco, Sept. 3.

"Dear Folks:—I am getting along fine. We are not drilling as much now as we have left the detention camp and have moved to a camp here close by the name of Paul Jones. We are going to get our first shore liberty Saturday if we don't have to move again which I expect we will. I am a second class seaman now. I was an apprentice seaman on the start but after you drill a while and pass three inspections all O. K. you become a second class seaman. There was only one in our company that didn't get the rating and he was so bull headed he wouldn't do anything they told him to so they put him back into a new company that just formed and he will have to stay in detention three weeks more, which isn't a very pleasant stay, udging from what I have gone through with. When you get those shots in the arm, it sure tells on you. I am sure I don't have to take any more of them. We get some good meals here and then sometimes we don't. Monday we had for dinner fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, ice cream, pie and cake. This was just a special as Monday was a holiday, Labor Day and they observed it pretty strict here. Today we had for dinner roast beef, peas, gravy, fried potatoes and cake. So you can see how they feed us here. Tonight for supper we had "Dog meat" or balogna, baked potatoes, pie and cocoa. This all I can think about to write, so I guess I will close, hoping to hear from you soon. I remain,

Your son,
DENNIS C. MORRISEY,
Camp Paul Jones, Co. 5, U. S. Naval Training Station.

MEETS BOYS FROM HOME

Joseph Carden, In Navy Air Service is Back In France Again.

Joseph W. Carden, son of M. F. Carden, in the U. S. naval air service writes from France as follows: "I am once more in France and had the pleasure of seeing a Maryville boy and also a Stanberry lad, one of the Robey boys and a Buckridge chap, the latter being at the same station at which I am located. The Robey boy was enroute but did not say where to. Am stationed at the present about eighteen miles from Brest and have the nicest little family of (Gobs) here you ever saw. Yes, girls, the French ladies wear wooden shoes, also the men, but of course they are not worn by everyone. My health is fine and I am consuming my usual amount of navy chow."

Russian soldiers are described by army surgeons as ideal patients. They are accustomed to live in the open air, inured to extremes of heat and cold, and able to undergo operations with a minimum of shock.

An old woman in Jersey City who had been living on a banana a day, and who starved to death, was found to be worth $125,000.

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